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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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Part B for June 1917.

SUBJECT.

Raising from Rs 500 to Rs 1000, the discretionary limit of the State Prohibition Fund.

No: 9557 / B&R 1020 From The Commissioner

Ser: 4. Proposal—

Ser: 10. Sanctioning the proposal—

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FILE HEADING.

State Provident Fund.

From The Comptroller

No. 953-7 B&R 1020 Dated 12/15-5-17 Received 16.5.17

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Invites reference to section 3 sub section (b) of Rule IX of 16 relating to Provident Funds fixing the testamentary limit up to which payments may be made by the officer in charge in case of death of subscriber & to rule 9(2)(b) of the Provident Fund rules fixing NOTES AND ORDERS Rs 500 only & enquires whether the rule should not amended accordingly

Submitted

copy of the Rule IX of 16 & of rules regulating the State Provident Fund put up. Please put up the original papers & also Mr Dalton's note in the Provident fund rely.

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It is requested that in future communications on the subject, the No. and date of this letter, and the distinguishing letters, below the number as given opposite, may be quoted and addressed to the Comptroller, Mysore Government.

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OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT,

Dated Bangalore, the 12th May *1917.*

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16 MAY 1917

~~DIWAN BAHADUR J. S. CHAKRAVARTI, Esq., M.A.,~~

M. N. Krishna Rao Esq., ~~F.R.A.S., ETC.,~~

Offg: *Comptroller to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.*

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To

Rajamantrapravina Diwan Bahadur J. S. Chakravarti, Esq., M.A., F.R.A.S., etc.

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

Financial *Department.*

SIR,

I have the honor to state that in Section 3 Sub Section (b) of Regulation IX of 1917 relating to Government and other Provident Funds the discretionary limit up to which the Officer managing the fund can pay is fixed at Rs.1,000/- and I have therefore to enquire if in conformity with this Regulation the limit of Rs.500 prescribed in rule 9 (2) (b) of the Provident Fund Rules does not require to be raised to Rs.1,000/. The orders of Government on the point may kindly be obtained early and communicated to me.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Offg: Comptroller.

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FROM

~~DIWAN BAHADUR~~

~~J. S. CHAKRAVARTI, ESQ., M.A.,~~

~~F.R.A.S., ETC.,~~

The *Comptroller to the Govt. of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.*

To

.. .., ESQ.,

The *Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,*

F.d. *Dept.*

Dated 15th May 1917.

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Subject matter.

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enquires whether the limit in the case of S. P. Fund of paying the amount by the officer making at may be raised to Rs. 1,000/—.

REGULATION No. IX OF 1916.

(Received the assent of His Highness the Maharaja on the 22nd day of December 1916.)

A Regulation to amend the Law relating to Government and other Provident Funds.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the law relating to Government and other Provident Funds; His Highness the Maharaja is pleased to enact as follows :—

Title, extent and commencement.

1. (1) This Regulation may be called the Provident Funds Regulation, 1916.

(2) It extends to the whole of Mysore.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

Definitions.

2. In this Regulation,

(1) "Provident Fund" means a fund in which the subscriptions or deposits of any class or classes of employees are received and held on their individual accounts, and includes any contributions, credited in respect of, and any interest accruing on, such subscriptions, or deposits under the rules of the Fund:

(2) "Government Provident Fund" means a Provident Fund constituted by the authority of Government for any class or classes of its employees:

(3) "Compulsory deposit" means a subscription or deposit which is not repayable on the demand, or at the option of the subscriber or depositor and includes any contribution which may have been credited in respect of, and any interest or increment which may have accrued on, such subscriptions or deposit under the rules of the Fund.

Payment from Government on death of subscriber or depositor.

3. When a subscriber to, or depositor in, any Government Provident Fund, dies, the officer or person whose duty it is to make payment of such sum may pay it,

(*a*) to any person entitled to receive it according to the rules of the Fund, or, in the absence of any rule of the Fund to the contrary, to any person nominated in writing by the subscriber or depositor to receive it, and registered in the office of the Fund during his life time,

(*b*) in default of any such person as aforesaid, to the person who produces a succession certificate or probate or letters of administration obtained under the law in force claiming to be entitled to receive such sum, provided that where the sum payable does not exceed one thousand rupees, payment may be made to such person whom the officer or the person making the payment after reasonable enquiry finds to be entitled to receive it.

Protection to deposits and other sums in certain cases.

4. (1) Compulsory deposits in any Government Provident Fund shall not be liable to attachment under any decree or order of a Court of Justice in respect of any debt or liability incurred by a subscriber to, or depositor in, any such Fund and a Receiver appointed under the Mysore Insolvency Regulation, 1911, shall not be entitled to, or have any claim on, any such cumpulsory deposit.

(2) Any sum standing to the credit of any subscriber to, or depositor in, any such Fund at the time of his decease and payable under the rules of the Fund or under this Regulation, to the widow or the children, or partly to the widow and partly to the children, of the subscriber or depositor, or to such person as may be authorised by law to receive payment on her or their behalf, shall vest in the widow or the children, or partly in the widow and partly in the children as the case may be, free from any debt or other liability incurred by the deceased, or incurred by the widow or by the children, or by any one or more of them, before the death of such subscriber or depositor.

Protection for anything done in good faith under this Regulation.

5. No suit or other legal proceeding shall lie against any person in respect of anything done or in good faith intended to be done in pursuance of the provisions of this Regulation.

Power to extend Regulation to other Provident Funds.

6. Government may, in its discretion, by notification in the official Gazette, extend the provisions of this Regulation to any Provident Fund established for the benefit of its employees by any Company which administers a Railway or Tramway in Mysore under contract with Government or for employees under a local authority, or for any employees in any aided Educational Institution or in a Muzrai Institution as defined in the Mysore Muzrai Regulation, VI of 1913, or in any company registered according to law.

M. VISVESVARAYA,
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may appoint by will to administer, for the benefit of his widow or widows and children, the funds standing at his credit at the time of his death;

(*b*) if no such request has been submitted, it will be paid to the legal representative of the estate, as determined by a Civil Court having competence to pass orders in this respect; Provided that, if the sum remaining at the credit of the depositor does not exceed Rs. 500, it may be paid to such person or persons as the Comptroller considers to be entitled thereto.

(3) Ordinarily, officers should make their own arrangements at retirement to draw in India the sum at their credit in the State Provident Fund. In the case, however, of depositors and the beneficiaries of deceased depositors who are resident in England, Government may order payment in England at the market rate.

ADVANCE FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES.

Rule 10.—No final withdrawal will be allowed until the subscriber quits the service or dies. But when the pecuniary circumstances of the subscriber are such that the indulgence is absolutely necessary, a temporary advance not ordinarily exceeding three months' pay may be allowed from the sum at his credit at the discretion of the sanctioning authority, who shall be—

1. The Government, for gazetted officers and for all payments exceeding Rs. 300.
2. The Head of the Department, for non-gazetted officers for payments exceeding Rs. 50 but not exceeding Rs. 300.
3. The Head of the office, for non-gazetted officers for payments not exceeding Rs. 50.

The following may be recognised as legitimate occasions for advances—

(*a*) to pay expenses incurred in connection with the illness of the subscriber or member of his family;

(*b*) to pay for the passage of any member of a subscriber's family coming from beyond the sea to join him, or requiring to make a journey beyond the sea from some urgent cause;

(*c*) to pay expenses in connection with the marriages, funerals or ceremonies which by the religion of the subscriber it is incumbent upon him to perform and in connection with which it is obligatory that expenditure should be incurred.

Note.—Advances, though not confined rigidly to the objects laid down in clauses (*a*) to (*c*) above will be made with a due regard to the principles contained in those clauses and regulated with regard to the amount of subscriptions lying to the credit of the applicant.

Advances will be recovered at the discretion of the sanctioning authority in not less than twelve monthly instalments or more than twenty-four. A subscriber may, however, at his option, make repayment in less than twelve instalments or may re-pay two or more instalments at the same time. Recoveries will be made monthly, commencing from the first payment of a full month's salary after the advance is granted, but no recovery will be made from an officer while he is on leave of any kind. Recovery may also be postponed while an advance of pay granted to him on transfer is being recovered. The instalments will be paid by compulsory deductions from salary, and will be in addition to the usual subscription.

RESERVATION OF POWER TO GOVERNMENT TO ALTER RULES.

Rule 11.—The Government reserve to themselves the power to amend or alter the rules as may be required.

PROCEDURE.

Rule 12.—The deposits received under the foregoing rules will be credited on the books of the Government to an account named "The State Provident Fund." The general administration of the fund will rest with the Government in the Finance Department, and the accounts will be kept by the Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Rule 13.—A depositor must when paying a subscription, whether his subscriptions to the fund are recovered by deduction from bills or paid in cash, specify the number of his account which will be communicated to him by the Comptroller.

Rule 14.—The interest under Rule 5 will be allowed for each calendar month upon the minimum balance of the depositor's account between the close of the fourth day and the end of the month. It will be added to the principal at the end of the official year except when the account is to be finally closed.

YEARLY ADVICE TO DEPOSITORS.

Rule 15.—As soon as possible after the close of each year each depositor will receive a statement of his account with interest made up to 30th June. Depositors are required to

satisfy themselves as to the correctness of these statements; and unless errors in them are brought to the notice of the Comptroller, within one month from the date of their receipt, Government will not be responsible for any sums not included in the account.

Rule 16.—Any depositor may once in the official year, but not oftener; receive, on application to the Comptroller a copy of his account for the last official year and for so many months of the current year as may have been posted and agreed.

Rule 17.—The Comptroller will endeavour to secure by issue of reminders that all depositors shall submit in the prescribed form the "request" provided for in Rule 9 (2) (*a*) of the rules. Each depositor should be invited to revise this declaration at least once a year. All such declarations still in force should be carefully recorded.

STATE PROVIDENT FUND.

Form of Declaration

(For* Depositor).

I hereby declare that in the event of my death the following persons shall be entitled to receive payment of the amount to my credit in the State Provident Fund in the proportions noted against their names and I make this my will so far as regards such deposit.

I also request that the amount payable as above to the minors be paid to the persons named below :—

Name and address of the nominee	Relationship with the subscriber	Whether major or minor. If minor, state date of birth	Share of the deposit payable	Name and address of the person to whom share is to be paid on behalf of minor	Sex and parentage of persons referred to in previous column

Two witnesses to

Signature.....

Designation.....

Signature.....

Signature.....

* Here state married or unmarried.

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

No. Fl. 7389-437—B. 15-14-2, dated Bangalore, 15th June 1915.

ORDER.—To enable Government servants to make suitable provision for themselves in their old age and for their families Government have provided facilities by instituting the Life Insurance and Family Pension Funds. A representation has however been received from several officers requesting that in addition to these, a Provident Fund may be constituted similar to the funds in the Madras Presidency and other Provinces of British India.

Government are pleased to view the representation favourably and direct the formation with effect from the 1st July 1915 of a State Provident Fund open to all Government servants and governed by the rules annexed to this order.

The fund will be under the management of the Comptroller and accounts connected therewith will be kept in the Comptroller's Office.

At the close of each year the Comptroller will submit a report to Government regarding its working.

It is considered that, for the present, until the number of subscribers becomes numerous no extra establishment would be necessary for work connected with this in the Comptroller's Office.

J. S. CHAKRAVARTI,
Financial Secretary to Government.

To—The Comptroller, Mysore Government.
The Heads of Departments.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

ANNEXURE.

RULES REGULATING THE STATE PROVIDENT FUND.

Scope of fund.

Rule 1.—The fund will be a general fund open to all officers in permanent pensionable and non-pensionable posts under Government or under Local or Municipal Boards.

NOTE.—Persons appointed on probation to substantive appointments are eligible to subscribe to the fund.

CONDITIONS OF MEMBERSHIP OF FUND.

Rule 2.—Subscription to this fund will be optional in the case of all officers except those who, under the State Life Insurance Rules, are required to compulsorily insure but are rejected by the Medical Officer or cannot do so on account of over age. In the case of such officers it will be compulsory. Subscribers must enter into an agreement to be bound by all these rules and any alterations that may be made in them from time to time.

Rule 3.—If an officer who is subscribing to the fund is transferred to foreign service he shall (in the absence of a special order of Government to the contrary) continue subject to these rules in the same manner as if he was not transferred.

Rule 4.—No right to withdrawal of the sum at the credit of a subscriber will be recognised other than is provided for in Rule 9.

RATE OF INTEREST.

Rule 5.—Compound interest at 4 per cent will be allowed on subscriptions; but Government reserve the right to reduce this rate at any time for officers who become subscribers to the fund after Government have announced their intention of reducing the rate.

NOTE.—If a subscriber dies, interest will be allowed on the amount at his credit in the fund up to the end of the month in which the death occurs, whether that amount is withdrawn before or after the end of that month. When a subscriber, being in permanent Government service retires, interest will be allowed up to the end of the month immediately preceding that in which he

quits the service. If a subscriber holding a temporary post exercises, on the termination of his appointment, the option, allowed by Rule 9 (1), of leaving in the fund the amount accumulated to his credit, interest will be allowed on that amount for not more than a year after the termination of employment. If the depositor subsequently obtains re-employment under Government, deposits not withdrawn will commence again to bear interest from the date on which subscriptions are renewed.

Rate of Subscriptions.

Rule 6.—Except as hereinafter provided, the monthly subscription must not be less than 6¼ per cent, and not more than 12½ per cent, on the salary of each subscriber for the month; and as between these two limits, must be at the rate of either 1¼, 1½ or 1¾ annas in the rupee. In the case of persons whose pay is not more than Rs. 10 per mensem the rates may be at ½ an anna or ¾ths of an anna in the rupee. If the officer is on foreign service, the subscription will be calculated on the pay he was drawing immediately prior to the transfer to foreign service.

A subscriber may alter his rate of subscription with effect from the beginning of any financial year, by giving notice before the end of the preceding year.

In the case of an officer on a permanent establishment, who is detached on temporary duty under Article 254 of the Mysore Service Regulations, subscription should be calculated on the salary actually drawn by him in his temporary appointment.

Similarly, in the case of an officer on deputation, subscription should be calculated on salary *plus* his deputation allowance.

Subscription during leave.

Rule 7.—Subscriptions during leave of any kind will be optional. Subject to the limits of 6¼ and 12½ per cent, they will be calculated on the allowances admissible during leave.

An officer on re-instatement after a period passed under suspension may be allowed the option of subscribing for that period. In the case of an officer who exercises the option of subscribing to the fund during leave without allowances, or on re-instatement after a period passed under suspension without allowances, it is left to the discretion of the Comptroller to determine, in each case the amount on which subscription should be paid, the general principle to be observed being that the subscription should be calculated on half the salary last drawn by the officer before he proceeded on leave without allowances, or was placed under suspension without allowances.

Realization of subscriptions.

Rule 8.—Subscriptions will be recovered by deduction from pay bills but they may be made by remittance in cash to the Treasury when an officer is in foreign service or on leave.

When a subscriber draws his leave allowances in England at the State Bankers, his subscriptions may be paid by deductions from leave allowances, credit to the officer's account in the fund, in respect of such payments being given at the rate of fifteen rupees to the pound.

An officer who desires to subscribe during leave must notify his intention before hand in order to allow the deductions from his leave allowances being noted. He will not be permitted to discontinue subscribing during such leave.

An officer, who fails to notify his intention to continue to subscribe when proceeding on leave, can subsequently pay his subscription in cash.

Withdrawals on retirement or death.

Rule 9—(1) Subject to the provisions of this rule the sum which accumulates to the credit of an officer in permanent employ will, when he quits the service, become his absolute property and be handed over to him unconditionally. An officer holding a temporary post may, on the termination of his appointment, either withdraw the amount standing at his credit or leave it in the fund. Any sum so left in the fund may be withdrawn at any time after cessation of service.

(2) In the event of an officer's death before retirement or after retirement, but before the money has been handed over,—

(*a*) it will be divided between his widow or widows and children in accordance with any request that he may have submitted in the prescribed form, which request must state the person to whom sums intended for the benefit of minors are to be paid; or it will be handed to such trustees as the subscriber

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Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. Fl. 3579-627—G. F. 146-16-1, dated 23rd December 1916.

Provident Fund.

Approves of the suggestions of Mr. K. L. Datta, Special Officer, *re* modifications in the rules relating to the ——.

W D 1754—GPB—15-1-17—400

No. Fl. 3579-627—G. F. 146-16-1, dated 23rd December 1916.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

Read Again—

Government Order No. Fl. 7389-437—B. 15-14-2, dated the 15th June 1915, directing the starting of a Provident Fund and sanctioning the rules relating thereto.

2. Government Order No. Fl. 499-547—B. 15-14-4, dated 2nd August 1915, permitting officers in temporary service to subscribe to the State Provident Fund provided they have been employed or are likely to be employed for at least three years.

Read—

Note dated 30th September 1916, of Mr. K. L. Datta, Special Officer, suggesting modifications in the rules relating to the Provident Fund so as to simplify work connected therewith.

Order No. Fl. 3579-627—G. F. 146-16-1, dated 23rd December 1916.

Mr. Datta's suggestions based on Government of India rules and practice are briefly as follows:—

(1) To adopt for each year a fixed sum in whole rupees as subscription instead of the present variable rate and to revise existing Rules 6 and 7 suitably.

(2) To exclude subscribers to the Railway Provident Fund from the benefits of this Fund.

(3) To omit details of monthly credits and debits in the statement of accounts furnished to each depositor annually.

(4) To substitute broad sheets one for deposits and another for withdrawals in a suitable form in the place of the ledgers now in use.

(5) To arrange names in the Index Register with reference to the first two letters for facilitating reference.

2. Government accept the above suggestions which tend to reduce work in the Account Office but for the convenience of depositors drawing small salaries of whom there is a considerable number at present they consider that deposits of four annas and of multiples of four annas for sums less than a rupee should be received.

The following additions and alterations in the Provident Fund Rules are accordingly sanctioned:—

(*a*) Insert the following as note 3 to Rule 1. The fund will not be open to subscribers of the State Railway Provident Fund.

(*b*) Substitute the following for Rules 6 and 7.

Rule 6.—The monthly rate of subscription shall be an amount expressed in whole rupees and shall remain fixed throughout the financial year. It may be any sum in whole rupees not less than 6¼ per cent of salary (*i.e.*, one anna in the rupee) and not exceeding 15⅝ per cent (2½ annas in the rupee), the rate of salary for this purpose being that drawn in respect of the 30th June of the financial year preceding. In the case of persons whose pay is not more than Rs. 10 per mensem the rates may be at ½ an anna or ¾ths of an anna in the rupee rounded off to the nearest multiple of 4 annas, below the calculated amount.

The amount which a subscriber elects to subscribe monthly for each financial year shall be assumed to be represented by the deduction which he himself causes to be made in his salary bill for the preceding June: provided that if the sum so deducted is below the minimum or above the maximum limit above prescribed the subscriber shall be assumed to have elected to subscribe the minimum or the maximum permissible amount, as the case may be.

The amount thus elected shall not be variable later on in the year on account of any increase or decrease in the rate of salary which may ultimately be found to have been due in respect of the 30th June or which may take place during the year.

EXPLANATIONS AND EXCEPTIONS.

(*a*) *Rounding of Minimum Percentage.*—If 6¼ per cent of salary represents a sum not expressible in whole rupees, the nearest sum in whole rupees below that amount shall be taken as the minimum limit of subscription. For the benefit of depositors with small salaries the minimum subscription will be fixed at four annas and multiples thereof up to one rupee will be received as deposits.

(*b*) *New Subscribers.*—In the case of new subscribers, any broken period in the month of entry will be neglected, the first subscription being that due in respect of the first complete calendar month. The percentages will be reckoned on the rate of salary drawn in respect of the first day of such month. The rate of subscription elected will be assumed to be represented by the actual deduction which the officer himself causes to be made in his salary bill for that month, subject to correction, if necessary, as in the proviso to the substantive rule above. The amount thus elected will not be variable during the remainder of the year.

(*c*) *Foreign Service.*—In the case of an officer on foreign service on the 30th June, the percentages will be reckoned on the pay he would have drawn had he been in Mysore Service on that date.

(*d*) *Temporary Duty and Deputation.*—In the case of an officer on temporary duty under Article 254 of the Mysore Service Regulations, or on deputation on the 30th June, the percentages will be reckoned on the salary, exclusive of deputation allowance, if any, actually admissible at that date.

(*e*) *Leave and Suspension.*—On an officer's return from leave, or reinstatement after suspension, the fund payments falling due within the same financial year, in respect of the remainder of the month of joining and subsequent months, will be effected at the rate, if any, already fixed for that year under the substantive rule: otherwise at a new rate, determined in the manner laid down in the substantive rule, with reference to the rate at which salary is drawn in respect of the first day of duty.

Rule 7.—Subscription during leave of any kind will be optional. The monthly amount subscribed shall be a sum expressed in whole rupees and not exceeding the amount at which the officer was subscribing under Rule 6 prior to proceeding on leave, and not below 6¼ per cent on the salary he was drawing before proceeding on leave. An officer on reinstatement after a period passed under suspension may also be allowed the option of subscribing for that period. The monthly amount subscribed shall be a sum expressed in whole rupees and not exceeding the amount at which the officer was subscribing under Rule 6 prior to suspension and not below 6¼ per cent of the salary he was drawing before suspension.

3. Suggestions 3, 4 and 5 in paragaph 1 above refer to the manner in which accounts and registers are to be kept in the Account Office. Government consider that suggestions 3 and 5 may be adopted at once but as regards 4, *viz.*, the substitution of broad sheets for the ledger they agree with the Comptroller that the procedure suggested may be tried experimentally for the accounts of one district and if found to work successfully, extended to others.

J. S. CHAKRAVARTI,
Financial Secy. to Govt.

To—The Comptroller to Government.
The Heads of Departments and Secretaries to Government.
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Mr. K. L. Datta, Special Officer.
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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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READ—

Letter No 9555-7/B&R 1020 9 12/15-5-17 from the Comptroller enquiring if in conformity with the proviso in Section 3 sub section (a) of Rule IX of the Rules relating to Govt and other Provident Funds fixing the discretionary limit at Rs 1000/ up to which the Officer managing the Fund can make payments, the limit of Rs 500/ fixed in the ~~order~~ proviso

Date of issue 29-6-17

Signed by W Sreenivasaya

~~ORDER THEREON. No.~~

SUBJECT.

to rule 9(2)(b) of the State Provident Fund Rules does not require to be correspondingly raised to Rs 1000/ order thereon. No 76 8103-52 & 29 June/17

Govt are pleased to raise from Rs 500/ to Rs 1000/ the discretionary limit provided in rule 9(2)(b) of the State Provident Fund Rules as proposed by the Comptr in the letter read above.

2) The said rule 9(2)(b) will stand revised as follows

9(2)(b) if no such request has been submitted, it will be paid to the legal representatives of the estate as determined by a Civil Court having competence to pass orders in this respect; Provided that, if the sum remaining at the credit of the depositor does not exceed Rs 1000/ it may be paid to such person or persons as the Comptr considers to be entitled thereto.

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23/6/17
For H Secretary

To the Comptroller
Heads of Depts & Dy Commrs of Distts